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TO AMEMBASSY NIAMEY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PARM, TECH, NG

SUBJECT: NON-PROLIFERATION TREATY ADHERENCE: NIGER

REFS: (A) STATE 137737; (B) A-2873

1. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE UPDATE ON WHETHER THERE HAS BEEN ANY PROGRESS CONCERNING NPT ADHERENCE. IN PARTICULAR, WE WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING WHAT FOREIGN MINISTER DJERMAKOYE MEANT BY ADHERING WITH RESERVATIONS AS REPORTED REF (A).

2. DEPARTMENT RECOMMENDS THAT AMBASSADOR DISCUSS NPT WITH FOREIGN MINISTER DRAWING FROM POINTS RAISED IN REF (B). YOU SHOULD ALSO MENTION ONCE AGAIN THE IMPORTANCE THAT WE ATTACH TO NIGER'S ADHERENCE BECAUSE OF ITS RICH URANIUM DEPOSITS.

3. DEPARTMENT IS ACTIVELY COOPERATING WITH OTHER COUNTRIES IN ENCOURAGING NPT ADHERENCE. WE HOPE TO ENCOURAGE JAPAN IN PARTICULAR TO BECOME ACTIVE IN THIS ENDEAVOR. WE WOULD  
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THEREFORE APPRECIATE POST'S ASSESSMENT OF EFFECT OF ENCOURAGING JAPAN TO URGE NIGER TO ADHERE TO NPT PARTICULARLY AS IT MIGHT RELATE TO POSSIBLE JAPANESE INVESTMENT IN NIGER'S URANIUM RESOURCES. CHRISTOPHER

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